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Applicants : Manabu TOKUNAGA and Goshi ISHIKAWA

Title : POWER TOOLS

Docket No. : 701158-4009

Customer No. : 34313

Mail Stop Patent Application  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

### UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

1. Type of Application

This new application is for a(n)  
 Original (non provisional)  
 Design  
 Plant

2.  Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

3.  Specification, including Description, Claims and Abstract (Total Pages:34)

4.  Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total sheets 15.)

5. Oath or Declaration

a.  Newly executed (original)  
b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)  
i.  Deletion of Inventors (Signed statement attached deleting inventors(s) named in the prior application.) See 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 133 (b).

6.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING  
37 CFR §1.10

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7.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if application, all necessary)  
a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)  
b. Specification Sequence Listing on:  
i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or  
ii.  Paper  
c.  Statement verifying identity of above copies

8.  An assignment of the invention to Makita Corporation  
 is attached. A separate  "COVERSHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) ACCOMPANYING NEW PATENT APPLICATION" or  FORM PTO 1595 is also attached.  
 will follow.

9.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) (Power of Attorney by Assignee)

10.  English Translation Document (if applicable)

11.  Information Disclosure Statement/PTO 1449 (or PTO/SB/08a)  
 Copies of Non-US patents

12.  Preliminary Amendment

13.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)

14.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claims)  
Japanese Application No.

15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) Transmittal

16.  Other

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no. \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.

Prior application information:

Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_ Group Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. This incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

18. Fee Calculation: TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT: \$810.00

A.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 15-0665.  
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C.  This application is being filed without fee or Declaration under 37 CFR §1.53.

20. Correspondence Address  
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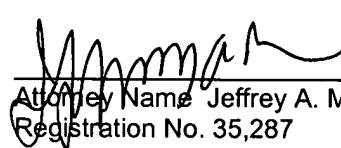
**21. CLAIMED PRIORITY**

This application claims foreign priority under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or Section 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States, Listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Japanese Application No. 2003-28709 Filed February 5, 2003  
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